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Venezuela's One Man Power.

[Cor. Inter Ocean.]

Guzman Blanco is supposed to carry congress, council, president, and courts all under his own hat. He nominates senators and members of congress, and his candidates are invariably elected. He make out a list of candidates for the council, and they are chosen; then the man whom he names is made president. There is a constitutional provision prohibiting the re-election of a president, so that Guzman can serve in that capacity every alternate two years, the intervening time being filled by some friend of his choice, who is said to be entirely subject to his will. His fourth and last term expired in March, 1884; but in March, 1886, if he lives, he will be president again, for there is no one in Venezuela who cares or dares contest the authority of Guzman.

The president of Venezuela to-day is Joaquid Crespo, a negro of good military record, imposing in appearance, and of reasonable ability. He has a cabinet of six ministers—of exterior relations, of finance, of war, of fomento, of public works, of public instruction. The minister of fomento combines the duties of our secretary of the interior and postmaster general, and the little navy is under control of the secretary of war. The residence of the president faces the central plaza, or Plaza Bolivar, and is known as the "Yellow House," but is not at present occupied, being too small to contain the family of Gen. Crespo, who has seven children. Guzman Blanco never occupied it, for the same reason, as he has nine children. The "Yellow House" is a gaudy affair of two stories, with only twelve rooms, including four official parlors, a magnificent state dining-room, servants' quarters, and all that sort of thing. Official dinners are given there nowadays, and occasionally the president receives foreign embassadors in the parlors.

Fishes in Hot Water.

[London Globe.]

Some experiments have just been made by the secretary of the National Fish Culture association, and reported by The Fish Culture Globe, gives results curious and possibly practically useful. The object was to discover the highest temperature at which fish can exist in water, the competitors being carp, gudgeon, dace, roach, perch, golden tench, common tench, trout, salmon, and minnow. Not till the water reached 80 degrees did any sign of languor show itself, and the first that gave in was a perch at 82 degrees. Then followed retirements in the following order: Roach, salmon, minnow, gudgeon, dace, common tench, golden tench—until the carp was left winner of the prize for endurance, holding out till 91 degrees, 3 degrees better than the best record below him.

Having taken the hot water neat with what looked like fatal results, the natural corrective was exhibited in the form of brandy, which, to the dismay of teetotal practitioners, presently set all the competitors swimming about in their normal condition just as if nothing had happened, with the sole exception of one dace, who died a martyr either to science or to the somewhat heroic remedy.

The Samoan Islanders.

[San Francisco Call.]

The native Samoan race is the most tractable and intelligent tribe of Oceanica. Before the advent of the whites war was of rare occurrence. They lived a simple, easy, indolent life. They believed in a supreme being, but the forms of their religion were much simpler than most of the Feejeeans and the Tongese. After the coming of the whites they established a parliament, a lower house called faipule, an upper house called tamui, and in imitation of its civized prototype has all the functions of the British parliament. Besides they have a king, Malietoa, and vice king, Tupria, who possess the limited veto power.

The government is maintained by a light taxation, as there is no standing army, no navy, no state church, nor any of the multitudinous offices of more enlightened communities. The natives are mostly all Christianized through the efforts of the London Missionary society and the Marist fathers. The youth of Samoa are now being taught to read and write.

Forgiven and Promoted.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"See here," said the managing editor kindly but firmly to the young man who has just come to do the fires and dog fights and assume general charge of the entire paper; "you must be a little more careful in your grammar and spelling. You make too much trouble for the compositors and proof-reader. You say in this article 'he had went' and 'we have never saw.' Then you spell 'separate' with two p's and four e's, and you say 'we have come to the conclution' and 'that we are horrafide at the bear ideas.' Now, you must be more careful and—"

"Aw well, look here, hoorty," cried the young man, "give a fellow a chance. You got to remember I've been in college for eight years and haven't had a chance to learn anything about the English language. All the time we could spare from rowing and foot ball was absorbed on Greek and Latin, you know." The managing editor forgave him and promoted him to the carrier department.

A Very Precocious Child.

[Chicago Tribune.]

A little girl about 5 years of age was by special favor permitted to take her seat at a dinner party in a mansion on Michigan avenue. Suddenly she ceased her meal, leaned wearily back in her chair, and exclaimed:

"O dear, I feel all done up."

"You ought not to use such expressions, my dear," said her mother; "you should say you're tired."

"No, mamma, I haven't been drinking a drop."

"Gracious me!" exclaimed the mother, "where on earth did the child learn such things?" and in a trice she was bundled out of the room, while her father for some minutes saw nothing to look at but the stars on the ceiling.

Fascinating and Beautiful.

[London Letter.]

Dr. Dallinger, president of the Royal Microscopical society, London, lately described the action of some new and horrible diseases, begotten in decomposed codfish—1-10,000 of an inch long by 1-19,5000 of an inch broad, "with six long flagellalike whip-lashes"—as "entrancing" when they pounce upon their prey. Their march is "like the rhythmic movement of a peal of bells," and "no sight accessible to the human eye can be more fascinating or more beautiful than this."

Small Mouths.

Girls who wish to have small, prettily-shaped mouths should repeat at frequent intervals during the day, "Fanny Finch fried five foundering fish of Francis Fowler's father."

The yearly products of American forests exceeds in value that of all the iron, steel, and coal combined.

Catching a Meal Thief.

[Danbury News.]

A Danbury man was sure some one was tampering with his meal barrel. He drew a pencil-line to show just how high in the barrel the meal was, and the next morning the meal was fully two inches below the mark. Then he had his idea, which was to set a steel-trap in the meal. It worked well, and when he next visited the place the trap was gone and there was a good deal of blood about, at which he chuckled greatly and told his neighbor, who praised his shrewdness, and together they kept watch for some one with damaged fingers.

Before they found him this shrewd man went in haste one morning to the barrel to take out meat. There was a click and he was caught in his own trap, which the thief had returned and set just as he did at first. He has had one finger set and hopes to save two more from amputation.

A Wonderful Penman.

[New Orleans Correspondent.]

Taking your paragraph about a Chambersburg, Pa., physician who can write his name with both hands, I think that New Orleans can also boast of a young man who can do the same, and also write backwards, beginning with the last letter; also upside down, and again to write that to read it one must look through the paper at the light, or he can write any way, and also do figuring. His name is John R. Meyer.

A Woman's Happy Release.

MRS. F. F. DOLLOFF, Haverhill, Mass., Aug. 6th, 1881, said she had been cured of inflammation of the bladder by five bottles of Warner's Safe Cure. Dec. 24th, 1884, Mr. Dolloff wrote, "Mrs. Dolloff has never seen a sick day from that inflammatory disease since Warner's Safe Cure cured her in 1881." Cure permanent.

Saving It for the Old Flag.

[Hartford Courant.]

Capt. Nathaniel Palmer, of Stonington, the original discoverer of Palmer's land, furthest south of all known land, tells the following story of the way he saved the discovery: He was getting ready to leave it, when a Russian frigate hove in sight. Capt. Palmer was ambitious to claim the land for the United States. How to contend with the ship of the czar he did not know at first. He waited till the frigate ran to the leeward of him and hove to, and then he put up his sheet and squared away for her, running under her stern and calling out as he shot past: "Ahoy, there! ship ahoy! do you want a pilot in?" The ruse succeeded, for the Russian at once filled away, and left the dominion free to stars and stripes.

The Dying Captain.

[Chicago Tribune.]

The old Captain is dying inch by inch, but he is Grant. There is the same definite plan of something to be done, the same fixedness of purpose, the same unswerving devotion to a single object, the same grim disregard of cost. With one of the monsters of disease gnawing at his life, he carries on his work calmly, not blindly, changing his plans to meet the exigency, but steadfastly. The brave old man dying so is the same Grant who led with set teeth from Donelson to Appomattox. It is the same mind. He is Grant.

Luminous Stair Carpet.

[Carpet Trade and Review.]

A new invention is a composition which when applied to textile fabrics renders them luminous at night. It would be a useful addition to the stair carpet in houses where the masters or male inmates thereof come home very late at night or early in the morning.

If You Doubt It, Try and See.

D. M. DEWEY, of Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1882, wrote, "One of the most prominent physicians here found 22 grains of sugar to the fluid ounce of my urine; was unable to benefit me. I then began using Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure, and Warner's Safe Pills. Having used five bottles of each I found myself cured."—N. B.—Mr. Dewey remains well.

The Ungraceful Curtsy.

["Uncle Bill" in Chicago Herald.]

But let us not destroy the illusions of art. Things of the most graceful aspect become awkward if the interior is exposed by removing the covering. Have you ever considered the old-fashioned curtsy, how willowy, billowy and beautiful an act it is? You see it nowadays only on the stage, in the old comedies, where actresses in long skirts sink in it so low that it seems impossible they should rise without help. Well, a certain actress in the role of a lady in lad's clothes is ruining the poetry of the curtsy to every spectator by transforming it into the prose of trousers. Anything more ungainly than the contortion which she discloses as the secret of the curtsy's draped grace has never been my misfortune to see.

Spinal diseases, superinduced by bicycle riding, are becoming alarmingly numerous, according to a Philadelphia physician.

Fifteen Years.

JNO. L. CLARK, M. D., Waterloo, N. Y., in 1881, was prostrated with Bright's Disease, crick in the back, rheumatism and malaria. From the latter he had suffered for fifteen years without help. In 1883 he says, "Warner's Safe Cure cured me and I am sound and well." If you doubt, ask your neighbor!

Coining a Balustrade.

[Inter Ocean.]

A solid silver balustrade, which has stood in one of the Mexican churches since the time of Cortez, was torn down not long ago and taken to the mint and coined, producing 60,000 silver dollars.

In a Roundabout Way.

Edith (contemplating her face in the mirror)—Mamma, me fink Katie Jones is very pretty. Edith (five minutes later)—Mamma, me fink me berry much like Katie Jones.

Brazil Trade.

The flour market in Brazil is controlled by the United States, but the butter used in the empire is supplied by England and Holland.

Arkansaw Traveler: Some pussons takes er pride in raisin' up dar chillun tef be sharp, an' many times arter de is grown, de yuts de sheriff ler a great eal o' trouble.

One half of the entire orange crop of Florida is raised within a radius of twenty-four miles around Ocala.

FRANCIS L. DOW, assistant police marshal, Taunton, Mass., three years ago was cured of stone in the kidney and bladder by Warner's Safe Cure, and in June, 1881, he wrote, "I have not seen a sick day since. I began Warner's Safe Cure and never felt better; have gained eighteen pounds."

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Coal Harbor Lands Commission.

WHEREAS, UNDER THE AUTHORITY of an Act made and passed in the last session of the Provincial House of Assembly and numbered thirty-nine, a Commission has been duly issued appointing and requiring Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, Chief Justice of British Columbia, to enquire and report concerning the genuineness of a certain document purporting to have been executed on 23rd June, 1884, by two Indians in favor of J. M. M. Spinks.

Notice is hereby given that the said Commissioner will hold a public sitting for the purposes of the said enquiry in the House of Assembly, James Bay, Victoria, on THURSDAY, 9th DAY OF APRIL now next, at which all persons who are capable and desirous of giving evidence relating to the said matter may attend and give evidence on oath.

The Commission will hold a public sitting for the like purposes at New Westminster on TUESDAY, 14th APRIL, 1885, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Such persons as appear at present to be necessary witnesses will be duly notified and required to attend at such one of the said sittings as is nearest to their presumed residences; but other persons to whom any facts connected with the said instrument are known, may attend voluntarily, and if their statements be at all material they shall be placed on the same footing as to allowances as if duly served with subpœnas to attend.

N. FITZSTUBBS,
mar25 Secretary to Comm.

To the Electors of Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN,—HAVING ACCEPTED AN appointment in the Ministry, my seat in the Legislative Assembly has become vacant. I desire to tender you my sincere thanks for the honor you conferred upon me when you elected me to represent you. I have ever faithfully endeavored to serve your best interests, and I trust that my conduct as your representative has been such as to merit a continuation of the confidence which you have in the past reposed in me. I respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent you in the Legislative Assembly during the unexpired term, and believing that I will, if elected, occupy a more favorable position as a member of the Cabinet to advance the interests of the City of Victoria as well as the Province generally, I respectfully ask for your support at the forthcoming election.

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Land Registry Ordinance 1870.

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CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
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Land Registry Office, Victoria, 30th March, 1885.

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To the Electors of the District of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:—

One of the most important political issues upon which I desire to express my views is the Chinese question. In spite of the conclusion arrived at by the Dominion Commissioners, I distinctly believe that the presence of Chinese in our province is most undesirable, and should view with satisfaction the departure of the last Chinaman from our shores. As a workingman myself, I can appreciate the difficulties with which, for years past, white labor has had to contend in Victoria, and should I have the honor to be elected as a representative for the city, I will exert my utmost endeavors to promote the exclusion of Chinese and the introduction and fostering of white labor.

So far as I am able to judge, the present Government have not been sufficiently in earnest in their endeavors to restrict Mongolian immigration, the Ministry having been especially remiss, when giving away the Dry Dock, in not making any stipulation against the employment of Chinese in the construction of that work; and also in the building of the Island railway.

The amendment of the Constitution Act and the addition of two members to the House without first submitting the matter to the country seems to me unjust to the Province at large, and especially unfair to the City of Victoria, whose interests have been ignored, and sacrificed to other constituencies.

The refusal of the Government to transfer the James' Bay lots to the City of Victoria cannot, in my opinion, be justified, and seems inexplicable, in view of the fact that a large quantity of public land was given to the city of New Westminster without hesitation.

A matter of the greatest moment to Victoria, if it is to retain its commercial supremacy, is connection with the mainland terminus of the Canadian Pacific railway by ferry joining the Island railway, not established by a private company, but forming part of the Canadian Pacific railway system.

The immediate extension of the Island railway to a point as nearly as possible to the center of the city is of pressing importance.

The speedy removal of the unsightly city jail, and the donation of the jail site to the corporation for civic purposes, are important subjects, to which I shall give my most urgent attention.

I strongly object to the policy of the present Government in alienating and withdrawing from taxation large areas of public lands.

I believe a majority of the electors of Victoria have lost confidence in their late representative, the present Finance Minister, also, in accepting office in a Government he was elected to oppose, has sacrificed whatever claims he may have had to the moral or political support of the community.

If elected I will strive to the utmost of my power to deserve the confidence reposed in me, and will serve you faithfully. I have the honor to be,

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March 2nd, 1885. mar3

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The Daily Times.

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Victoria, Tuesday, April 14, 1885.

CAJOLERY AND COERCION.

Our precious Government do not countenance or encourage independence of thought or action on the part of members of the House. No sooner does a representative evince a disposition to speak and vote as he thinks best, than the Government, either by a resort to cajolery or intimidation, do their utmost to seduce or coerce the recalcitrant member to become one of their servile followers.

Mr. Duck owes his present prominence and his temporary prefix of "Hon." to the seductive influence of a portfolio. He was an "independent" fish, and the Government dangled the tempting bait before his nose, and he bit and was securely landed. He was captured by cajolery.

The other plan, to accomplish their object by coercion when flattery fails, is now being tried on Mr. Edward Allen, the member for Cariboo. During the late session that gentleman had the courage of his convictions, and on several questions recorded his vote against the Government. He is now finding out how the Government punish members of the House who have the temerity to think for themselves. A son of Mr. Allen held a position as foreman on the Cariboo road. The mandate was issued that a competent official should be dismissed. It was the only way that the vengeance of the Ministry could touch the father. The Hon. Mr. Davie, who misrepresents his constituency, recognizing that he can never hope to be re-elected, and indifferent as to consequences, set the ball in motion. He secured the assistance of a pedagogue named Smith, who was active in securing signatures to a petition asking for the removal of young Allen. The petition on being sent to the Government is immediately acted upon, and young Allen is dismissed. Although he is known to have been a competent foreman, he is summarily discharged to appease the wrath of the Ministry against Mr. Edward Allen. We have received reliable information from the district to the effect that never before in its history has there been so much turmoil and bad feeling evinced. The emissaries of the Government, by resorting to low tricks, and infamous falsehoods, have succeeded in introducing "an apple of discord" and have embroiled many of the people in bitter altercations and dissensions, which can only have one effect on the community.

The Government succeeded in captivating Duck, but we much mistake the character of Mr. Ed. Allen if they can, by this despicable means, frighten or coerce him into a supporter.

MORE FALSEHOODS.

A letter in the *Colonist* from "A White Brickmaker," partakes largely of the editorial character of that journal—there is about a grain of wheat to a bushel of chaff. Mr. R. T. Williams was opposed to starting a brick yard on the arm, but owing to his father's great age the wishes of Mr. Williams, Sen., in that direction were not opposed; in a word, he was allowed to act as he felt inclined. The work was discontinued some weeks ago. Some time ago a man who claimed to be a brickmaker did call upon Mr. R. T. Williams, and when asked if he was a practical maker of brick he replied that he had only worked at certain branches of the trade. He was asked to call again on the following day, Mr. Williams, Jr., promising to use his influence to get him work. But he never returned. This is the whole story in a nut shell. Mr. Williams has not a single Chinaman employed in any capacity. At the present time, and for four weeks past, a white man has been employed working around his house and garden, to the exclusion of cheap Chinese labor. Mr. Williams is opposed to Chinese being allowed to come into the country, and believes that one of the most effective plans to get rid of those now here, is to forbid their employment on all Government works. Had this course been pursued in the past, especially in regard to the Island railway, there would not have been as many Chinamen in British Columbia as there are to-day. Mr. Higgins, we are credibly informed, employs Chinese labor, and Mr. Duck is reported as not averse to their help now and then. But consistency is an unknown quality with either of the gentlemen.

GO TO THE POLL.

There should be no apathy shown by Mr. Williams' supporters in the election to-morrow. Every man who has confidence in that gentleman, and believes that he will serve the people faithfully, should go to the poll and record his vote. The organ of the Government has been making desperate appeals to Mr. Duck's supporters, and has resorted to its old tactics of misrepresentation and abuse of the gentleman who has dared to oppose it. We very much mistake the temper of the people of Victoria, if they will permit the uncharitable and malicious writings of the *Colonist* to go unrebuked. The editor of that journal, it is to be hoped, does not represent the sentiment of our people.

MR. DUCK'S HISTORY.

AS WRITTEN BY THE "COLONIST."

The following extracts from the *Colonist* will be found interesting and singulary appropriate at the present juncture. They speak for themselves, and will not require one word of comment or explanation:

A $50,000 DUCK.

"Every man ought to be aware that as soon as he places his ballot in the box for Mr. Duck he is actually voting to run the country $50,000 more into debt."—*Colonist, Feb. 9, 1876.*

"A DECOY DUCK."

"It is too bad that the ex-Chief Commissioner should insist on holding up Mr. Duck as a mark to be shot at. Mr. Duck has no hope of success."—*Colonist, Feb. 9, 1876.*

MR. DUCK A RECREANT.

"And it is Mr. Duck and not Mr. Elliott who will come before the constituency in the character of a recreant. It is true that money has been 'sown broadcast.' In that the late Government were too successful, and rumor says that no inconsiderable portion of it fell into Mr. Duck's furrow."—*Colonist, Feb. 10, 1876.*

MR. DUCK AN OSTRICH.

"If Mr. Duck can swallow and digest them he must have a stomach like an ostrich, which is said to be able to digest scrap-iron and brass."—*Colonist, Feb. 10,* 1876.

MR. DUCK A HEN.

"The Duck sat as quiet as a hen on her nest and said—nothing! The workingman's candidate, indeed! The workingman's interests that Mr. Duck looked out for were—Mr. Duck's."—*Colonist, Feb. 11, 1876.*

MR. DUCK A DRESSED BIRD.

"Mr. Duck's committee have hired the dressing rooms attached to the Philharmonic Hall for their meetings. They will *dress* and *stuff* their bird there and the electors will *baste* him on the 21st."—*Colonist, Feb. 12, 1876.*

"SHAMEFUL."

"On Sunday Mr. Elliott announced a public meeting for Saturday evening next if a convenient place could be secured. Yesterday morning the Ducks announced a meeting of their candidate's friends at the Philharmonic Hall—thus securing the only available building for the purpose. These gentlemen seem determined to stifle the truth, if possible."—*Colonist, Feb. 15, 1876.*

MR. DUCK A SCHOOL BOY.

"Mr. Duck's speech had evidently been carefully 'memorized.' The sentences were of extraordinary length and his manner was that of a school-boy who, having been wound up for examination, unreels himself in the presence of parents or guardians."—*Colonist, Feb.* 18, 1876.

BARTERED HIS INDEPENDENCE.

"Mr. Duck fed sumptuously at the public table and always opposed the public whose bounty he enjoyed. From the day that Mr. Duck bartered his independence for Government blacksmith work, his usefulness to the country ceased."—*Colonist, Feb.* 18, 1876.

MR. DUCK'S AIRS.

"The 'airs' that Mr. Duck assumed over his fellow-workmen after he had succeeded by their votes in getting into the house."

"Beware of Ducks disguised in borrowed plumage."—*Colonist, Feb.* 21, 1876.

MR. DUCK'S FRIENDS.

"Duck's friends are principally to be found in rings, in monopoly, cliques and amongst those who have gorged themselves at the people's expense.—*Colonist, Feb.* 21, 1876.

WASTING VOTES.

"Electors, there is no use of putting anything to-day into the Duck's nest."—*Colonist, Feb.* 21, 1876.

A DEAD DUCK.

In announcing at the time the defeat of Mr. Duck: "And displaying with pleasing effect a dead Duck pendant from a broken ring."—*Colonist, Feb.* 22, 1876.

ADULTERATION OF FOOD.

The Hon. Mr. Costigan, Minister of Inland Revenue, laid on the table of Parliament last week his report on the adulteration of food. The following statement is a summary of the whole number of samples analysed by the Dominion analysts:

	Genuine.	Adulterated.	Doubtful.	Total.
Bread and breadstuffs	64	7		71
Butter	126	50	2	188
Canned fruit & veges'bls	75	17	4	96
Coffee	50	77	1	128
Condiments & spices	28	112	6	146
Cream of tartar	29	50		79
Drugs	121	62	18	201
Liquors, cordials, &c.	101	9	2	112
Milk	129	45	8	182
Potted meats and fish	88	16	2	106
Sweets	72	8		80
Tea	97	22	1	120
Infants' food, &c.	28			28
Total	982	465	47	1,495

From the above table it will be seen that out of 1520 samples analysed, 31 per cent. were adulterated and 47 or about three per cent. were returned as doubtful. The following table shows the percentage of adulteration for the past nine years:

Years.	Total Analysed.	Per cent. Adulteration.
1876	199	31 00
1877	466	35.01
1878	819	34.33
1879	936	26.23
1880	1,043	24.52
1881	1,041	25.37
1882	1,122	25.66
1883	1,243	24.21
1884	1,550	31.00

The report also suggests that as the practice of publishing the results of analysis only once a year, may have led traders to attach but little importance to such publication, that the publication should hereafter be made quarterly and published in the local papers, so that the public may be fully informed on the subject.

One of the strongest reasons for believing that Mr. Williams will be elected to-morrow is the fact that the *Colonist* is opposed to him. The abuse and villification of that journal will have the effect of driving many men to his side who otherwise would have remained indifferent and inactive.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Hon. Mr. Costigan has introduced a bill to amend the act relating to Weights and Measures, which defines the weights and measures which shall be equivalent to a bushel, and subjects the penalty of $5 for the first offence, and $50 for each subsequent offence. Another clause requires that all apples packed in Canada shall be packed in good strong barrels and seasoned hardwood or basswood, made as nearly cylindrical as may be, the staves of such barrels shall be 24 inches in length, and such barrels shall be sufficiently hooped with a lining hoop within the chimes, the whole well secured by nails, and every person offering apples for sale in barrels other than in accordance with this shall be liable to a penalty of 25 cts. for each barrel so offered. It is further provided that every hermetically sealed package of canned goods, such as fruits, vegetables, fish, meat, etc., the weight of the contents of the tin, can or package, and the year when the contents were packed legibly labelled or stamped thereon, and a contravention of this provision will subject the offender to a fine of $2 for each tin or package for the first offence, and of $20 for each subsequent offence. A penalty of like amount is also provided for misrepresenting the weights of cans or packages or the date on which the contents were put up. For altering or forgeing the label or stamp on a tin or package, a penalty of not less than $50 will be incurred. It is also provided that the governor-in-council may, in respect of any article or class of articles, fix a percentage of discrepancy, which shall be allowed between the represented weight and the actual weight of any tin or package if hermetically sealed goods, and may except such articles as he deems fit from the operation of this section. This section is not to apply to any foreign goods of a description not canned in Canada for exportation, nor to any article excepted by the governor-in-council. The provisions respecting hermetically sealed cans come into operation on October 1st.

THERE is a wide-spread and serious prevalence of disorders of the kidneys; and of various diseases caused by the imperfect operation of the kidneys and liver. According to Roberts, Thompson, and other recognized authorities, kidney disorders are very common, but the obscurity of their positive symptoms is so marked that many people, ill and out of sorts generally, are really victims of kidney complaint, and they and their physician do not realize it. Rheumatic pains, irregular appetite, frequent head ache, chills and fever, "blues," hot and dry skin, sour stomach, dyspepsia, irregular action of the bowels, nervous irritability, muscular soreness, cramps, languor, impairment of memory, loss of virility, are among the preliminary evidences of coming kidney and liver derangements. As the disease develops then follow lame back, swelling ankles, pale face, scalding sensations, the water sometimes being very light and abundant; at others, scarce dark-colored and frothy, and abounding in sediment, and under the microscope, in albumen and tube casts. If the deranged kidneys are not properly attended to, there is danger of the terrible Bright's Disease—hitherto considered incurable, which is a consumption or destruction of the kidneys—the near approach of which alarming disorder should awaken the liveliest concern, for it soon hurries one into the grave, unless promptly checked.

Disordered kidneys have the unfortunate effect also of weakening the vigor of the liver, as indicated if one has, besides the above symptoms, yellow spotted skin, fat covered eye-balls, frontal headache after eating, burning and itching skin, cold extremities, hot head, bad circulation of blood, sick headache, nausea, light-colored evacuations, constipation, piles, variable appetite and feelings, dizziness, blurred eyesight, liver-cough, ague, chills, fevers, wakefulness at night, drowsiness by day, etc.

These are some of the commoner symptoms as laid down by leading medical authorities, and with them in view, one ought not to have much trouble in ascertaining if he is suffering from disorders of these great organs.

These observations have been called forth by a double-column article which appears in another place in this paper. Skeptical of some of the statements made therein, and at other times by the same persons, we have been led to make a little study of the matter ourselves, with the above result. These diseases prevail amongst young and old everywhere, resulting in terrible and untimely deaths; they take off more people than epidemics; physicians report death as occurring from such diseases as appoplexy, paralysis, convulsions, heart disease, pneumonia, fevers, etc., when in reality these disorders are often secondary to Bright's Disease, and would seldom occur were the kidneys in healthy working condition. Hence, from personal knowledge, or from the trustworthy experience of other competent judges, we believe there is no preparation equal to the remedy that is so prominently mentioned elsewhere in this issue, for preventing and curing the dangerous disorders of which we have written. It has had an extraordinary sale, is everywhere commended, the record of its work seems indisputable, its manufacturers are reputed to be men of the highest standing. We hold, therefore, that not to use it, if needed, would be a crime against one's supremest interests, especially at this time when, threatened by a fearful epidemic, it is of the highest importance, according to Dr. Koch, the celebrated German cholera specialist, that we keep the kidneys, liver and digestive organs in healthy action, if the scourge would be escaped.

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Victoria, April 13, 1885.

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Nanaimo & Intermediate Pts	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Comox			7 A. M.			

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WED'SDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURD'Y.
Ladner's Landing, New Westminster and Pt Hammond	7 A M		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Pioneer Pass	7 A M				7 A. M.	
Grant's, Moody's, Pt Moody			5 A M			
Chilliwhack	7 A M					

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For Burrard Inlet Ports—Steamer Otter, Capt. Gardner will leave C. P. N. Co.'s wharf, every Tuesday, at 5 o'clock a. m.

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Victoria, Tuesday, April 14, 1885

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Read the Colonist's history of Duck. It is choice literature.

—Crab soup, eastern style, for lunch at the Germania Saloon, to-morrow from 11 to 3.

—The solid brick walls of the new theater building present a very substantial appearance.

—A Meeting of the electors will be held in the Philharmonic Hall to-night. Both of the candidates will speak.

—Capt. Wright has decided to lay up the steamer Eliza Anderson for a few days for painting, etc. Due notice will be given of her next day of sailing.

—Strangers visiting the Mainland in search of town property, timber limits, or farming lands, should call on Rand Bros., real estate brokers, New Westminster, B. C.

—What is the difference between the price of a pound of flesh in the old days of Venice and about 180 pounds of treachery to-day. Answer—The difference between $3000 and 3000 duc(ats.)

—It is rumored that Mr. Duck will swap his property on Broad street for Mr. Williams' land on the Fraser. This exchange is said to be insisted upon by Honest John on the score of consistency.

—Electors, think the question over carefully and without prejudice. Weigh the two men carefully and then vote in accordance with your convictions. If you do that, Williams will get there by a very large majority.

—Duck voted for two additional members, thereby, weakening the influence of this city in the House. In addition to the extra charge on the revenue of the country, his action was blameable. Therefore, vote for Williams.

—A gang of men, says the Port Moody Gazette, under the superintendance of Mr. G. Kelly, are engaged in the construction of a frost proof water tank, at this place, for the C. P. R. The tank is to be 24 feet in diameter, 16 feet high and has a capacity of 45,000 gallons.

—Under existing circumstances, if the Government, which Mr. Duck has joined, had 1000 white workingmen filling the place of the 3000 or 4000 Chinese residing in this city, we would be in a very much better position for defending this part of the country than we find ourselves to-day. Vote for Williams.

—The Colonist should be just to itself if it cannot be generous to a rival. Claiming dispatches as "exclusive to the Colonist" that have already appeared in THE TIMES is too transparent a falsehood to deceive its readers. See the dispatches in this morning's Colonist and last evening's TIMES.

—Steamer Amelia brought the following passengers: Cowie and wife, Terry, S Patterson, Coulten, H M Coll, Curran, Gibson, Davis, Mrs Bohle, Mrs M Wolfe, Mrs Cruickshank, McVean, J Haslam, Miss Westwood, Hird and wife, Lloyd, Alexander, Pimbury, Dr Bowbotham, Miss Skinner, Marshall, Richardson, Fisher, Miss Wain, Trage, Mrs Dawson and child, and many others.

—Steamer Elisa Anderson brought the following passengers: H H Hodgdge, C F Winter, G McNamara, A F Turner, J Anderson, T Thompson wife and 5 Children, Lee Baker, G Freeman, P C Quinlan, A A Lewis, J Ingram, Wm Handcock, C H Metcalfe, H Murray, J P Faulks, John Thayer, N McNeil, E Adamson, J T Hampin, H B Drake, S A Farron and wife, J McQuarrie, J Freeman, J Martini, M Murphy, J McManus, L Marrini, 23 Chinese.

—Steamer North Pacific brought the following passengers: Mrs Brown, A Green, Mrs Green, Miss L Green, Miss A Green, L Green, Miss H Green, E Green, Miss E Green, Miss C Green, A Swenarton, Geo D'Albini, L Bessemer, O Heron, M McLeod, W Chase, F A Adams, D O Sullivan, R Galbraith, M Guthric, M J Dowley, F McLennon, J McKenzie, W Ellwood, N E Gardner, M White, B McDonald, A Parsons, C Williams, P Idleman, W C Andrie, Miss Lewis, J M Bray, R Williams, Mrs Bray and two children, M Kahn, W C Ward and wife, Dr Taylor, C Nixon, C Tucker, one Indian, nine Chinese.

Should be Ashamed of Himself.

One of our most prominent citizens sent us a private note to-day, which was not written for publication, from which we make the following extract:

"I wish to draw your attention to the article in the Colonist this morning, the 'Mongolian Brickmakers.' Higgins ought to blush and hide his head in shame to abuse an old and hard working man of 80 years of age. I have heard people this morning express themselves that this very article would lose Duck any number of votes."

We have elsewhere, in dealing with this charge, exposed its hollowness and hypocrisy. But our correspondent must have a better opinion of the editor of the Colonist than any other citizen of Victoria, if he imagines that any ungenerous act of his, or any untruth that he could tell, would ever cause him to blush or hang his head in shame. He has never been known to do either, even when found guilty of the most flagrant violation of every principle that actuates a man of honor. Like the sow that immediately returns to its wallowing in the mire, the Colonist editor, as soon as convicted of one offence, begins again with added zest and renewed energy, his disgraceful and degrading system of ribaldry, vilification of character, and unprincipled attacks on the motives and private affairs of men who, for the time being, happen to be opposed to him in politics or business.

Proved Untrustworthy.

Duck has proved himself untrustworthy. Will you give him a chance to sell you a second time. If you want a representative in whom you can't rely, vote for Duck.

Cheap Feathers.

Duck's feathers ought to be cheap to-morrow, when he will have been plucked by the electors.

The Test of Eight Years.

DAN. A. GROSVENOR, Esq., United States Treasury Department, First Controller's Office, Washington, D. C., took Warner's SAFE Cure in 1878, and Dec. 29th, 1884, he wrote, "Warner's SAFE Cure in my case effected a permanent cure, and for five or six years I have experienced no trouble from what was a serious kidney affection."

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THE CHINESE BILL.

Scope of the Restriction Law—A $50 Tax Promised.

Special Dispatch to THE TIMES.

OTTAWA, April 13, 1885.

The Chinese Immigration Restriction Bill was introduced to-day. It provides for a poll tax of twenty-five dollars on every Chinaman and Chinawoman entering Canada, either by land or water. It limits the number to be carried by vessels to one to every ten tons of net tonnage. All vessels engaged in their transport will be subject to quarantine and inspection, and certificates of health must be obtained before passengers can be landed. The masters of the vessels are made personally responsible for the tax if passengers are landed before it is paid. Very severe penalties are provided for a contravention of the act. The total number of Chinese that will be allowed to enter is limited. Chinese residents in the Dominion will be required to register their domiciles within twelve months after the act comes in force. Provision is also made for the prosecution of persons joining organizations or secret tribunals and for the trial of criminal offences. British Columbia members are pressing for an increase of the tax to fifty dollars, and the Government has promised to grant their request.

UP COUNTRY.

A Wagon Road to Soda Creek—Winter Wheat Killed.

The building of a wagon road from some point near the 150-Mile House, on the Cariboo road, via William's Lake to Soda Creek, is a project which has often been advocated, as the road is much needed. It would obviate the travelling over the present heavy mountain road, besides it would open up and give a direct outlet to a considerable tract of agricultural and mining lands, and to the farmers who are now settled on that line. It was a mistake to have built the road over the Carpenter mountain in the first place, as there is but little on that line of the road fit for agricultural purposes. The proposed road would have the advantage of light grades and a hard road bed, while the present one has heavy grades and naturally soft, so much so that it is all but impassable in spring and fall.

The Government ought to look into this matter, and have the necessary improvement carried out as soon as possible. In the Cariboo district nearly all the winter wheat has been destroyed by frost, and the farmers are busy putting in other crops, spring wheat, &c. This is a serious loss, entailing double labor for the one crop. We hope that the dispenser of the weather will smile more benignly on them in future.

From the Sealing Grounds.

The steamer Hope returned from Alberni and the west coast at 9 o'clock this morning. From Mr. J. Gutman, who was a passenger from the sealing grounds at Pachenecaht, we learn that the seal catch has been considerably retarded by the prevalence of fog, which has forced the schooners to remain in the harbors. Up to the present time the schooner Carolina leads the list with a catch of 500 seals, while the Black Diamond follows with 325. The Alfred Adams was spoken on Saturday last by the Black Diamond, and she had 150 skins on board at that time. The catch of all the other schooners has been small, ranging from 20 to 150 seals each. However, as soon as the fog clears away the prospects for the season's catch are very favorable. Mr. Gutman brought down the catch of the Black Diamond, 325 skins.

IN MEMORIAM.

Hic Jacet Steigleman,
Worthy subject of many a ban,
Dulce et decorum est
Couldn't shrive the defeat of the rest?
De mortuis nil,
Couldn't tell?
Senatus consultum
(On mum et tum.)
Pay the bill as quick as a wink,
For fear of raising a terrible stink.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Logan and two children arrived from Alberni by the steamer Hope.

Mr. E. H. Fletcher, Post-office Inspector, returned by the Hope from Alberni, where he has been with a view to arranging for a regular mail to that place.

Mr. W. W. Dodd, of Stanley, left this morning for the east via the N. P. He will be absent about five months, visiting Kansas, Pennsylvania, Montreal, and other places of interest, and will return by San Francisco.

"Wonders."

E. E. BECKWITH, Norwich, Conn., Dec. 28th, 1884, stated, "I owe my life to Warner's SAFE DIABETES Cure; when I began its use I passed ten quarts of water daily, which contained 14 per cent of sugar; after using seven dozen bottles my doctor pronounced the water free from sugar; it has done wonders for me."

Another Chance.

Mr. Wolf can assure the gentleman who so assiduously tore down with his cane the printed notices of sale placed upon the lots to be sold on section 28, Fairfield estate, that if his taste for wanton, senseless destruction is still rampant, he can have a further opportunity to gratify it, as fresh notices will be placed upon the section, so that intending buyers may still have a chance to select their lots. Mr. Wolf has the gentleman's ? name.

The Trials of a Minister.

THE REV. J. F. ARNOLD, (Baptist,) Camden, Tenn., in 1873 was taken with Bright's Disease, which produced two large abscesses. In 1878 another abscess formed which discharged for eighteen months. In 1881 two abscesses formed. He then began WARNER'S SAFE CURE, "which restored me to perfect health," and June, 1883, he wrote, "my health is as good as ever." Try it!

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New Ready.

The B. C. Directory for 1885, just issued by R. T. Williams, Publisher, is a perfect compendium of information concerning the city of Victoria and the Province of British Columbia. The subscription price, $1.50, is so low that it should be kept as a book of reference in every business house and residence in the Province.

STRIKE ON THE LINE.

Four Thousand Men Want Their Wages Regularly.

Press dispatch.

KAMLOOPS, April 14.—A strike of four thousand men took place on the C. P. R. in the Selkirk range on April 1st. No work was allowed to go on east of the Second Crossing of the Columbia. The men demanded their pay from last December up to the end of March, and that in future a regular monthly pay-day be established. They sent word to Mr. Wright, in Eagle Pass, that they had no desire to interfere with his work, as he paid his men. They even stopped the bridge work which was going on over the Columbia river.

THE SUNDAY BYLAW.

The Police Enforcing its Provisions in Winnipeg.

A bylaw providing for the observance of Sunday, was recently passed by the Winnipeg Council, and placed in the hands of the Chief of Police with orders to enforce its provisions. This was done on the following Sunday, and a local paper thus describes the manner: "The first unfortunate to fall under the rigor of the law was Carmichael, one of the electric light linemen. It is necessary in order to keep the electric lights in working order to inspect them daily and renew the carbon as often as necessary. He was attending to this work yesterday when Sergeant English came along and ordered him to come down from the post. He did so and was immediately escorted to the police station and locked up. A few minutes afterwards a policeman brought in a boy who had been blacking boots on the street. Both were subsequently bailed out to appear at the police court this morning. Some of the printing offices were visited by the police who took the names of all the men working there, so that informations could be laid against them. Mr. C. C. Montgomery and his men were also working, they having been engaged to shoe the artillery horses which were to go west Sunday night. Proceedings were commenced against him under the by-law. It is also reported that Ald. Campbell would be summoned for selling the horses belonging to the city scavengering department to the artillery officers on the Sabbath day. It is also said that the by-law applies to policemen, and Dr. Hinman intends laying information against all of them who were on duty yesterday. There was a good deal of excitement among citizens yesterday regarding the matter, and the by-law was severely criticised on all sides.

Some False Statements.

A correspondent of the Chatham Banner, writing from San Francisco to that journal, complains that most correspondents seem to be in "a state of denseet ignorance," and after reading his letter the conclusion is reached that he is afflicted with the same disease. Many of the arguments used are so trifling as to be unworthy of notice. He finds fault with the climate, the forests, the soil, the laws, the mines and the inhabitants.

The timber resources, he says, are in danger of being destroyed, but omits to add that the Canadian Pacific will open up a road to large forests, which are as yet almost unexplored. Mr. G. M. Sproat, in his report to the Local Government says: "The lumbering business on the Columbia river will be one of the greatest industries in the Province within a few years."

He writes that there are some 25,000 Chinese in the Province. This statement is considerably different to that made to the Chinese commission by the Attorney-General, who said there were about 18,000.

The writer also claims that the changing of the terminus from Port Moody to Coal Harbor, "has caused the financial ruin of hundreds of people who invested their earnings in the former place." This statement is utterly untrue.

The whole letter is a bundle of wild statements and exaggerations, and is signed by "L. McLerie," who hopes he has thrown some light upon the subject of British Columbia.

Reed's Minstrels.

This company of minstrels will appear in the Philarmonic Hall on Friday and Saturday evenings next. The press all over the continent speak of them in the highest terms. The Alta of a late date says: "At Emerson's Theatre the Standard Minstrels are holding their own handsomely, and while they have such genuine minstrel talent in their ranks and such a rich humorist and prolific author as Charley Reed at their head, are not likely to be thrown in the shade by any other attraction, however promising. Charley Reed's Chinese song, and his capital acting in the finale, his "Authors' Carnival," are also brilliant spots in the first part; and in his laughable afterpiece, "Shavings," his appearance as disguised in liquor and an immaculate brown linen suit, and his efforts to catch the fugitive keyhole, always convulses the audience."

The Farmer's Heavy Debt.

A. AWAY, Navarino, N. Y., in 1879, was afflicted with neuralgia, ringing sensation in his ears, hacking cough, pain in the back, irregular urination, dropsy, nausea, and spasms of acute pain in the back. Then came chills and fever. The doctors gave him up, but after using 22 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, he said, "I am hale, hearty and happy." On June 29th, 1884, he writes, "My health was never better. I owe my existence to Warner's SAFE Cure." Cure permanent.

MARINE NOTES.

Bark Innerwick is loading lumber at Moodyville for Melbourne.

Bark J. W. Smith is loading lumber at Hastings mill for Callao.

Bark Nanaimo, Capt. Dodd, will clear for Shanghai to-morrow with lumber.

Ship Belvidere is in Esquimalt harbor with coal from Departure Bay, awaiting orders.

Y. W. C. T. U.

The above society gave one of their interesting entertainments on Monday evening. The members by a vote decided that during the summer only one meeting per month would be held, and that would be on the third Monday. The following programme was rendered: Music, by the choir; speeches, Messrs. Walker and Daly; songs, Messrs. Meston and Carter. A very pleasant evening was spent by those in attendance.

Text for a Sermon to Everyone.

REV. S. P. SMITH, (Universalist) of Marblehead, Mass., suffered for years from bilious attacks and gallstones. In January, 1883, he was cured by Warner's SAFE Cure. June 23, 1884, he says, "There has been no return of the bilious troubles; I have not experienced the least pain or suffering since my restoration by Warner's SAFE Cure." Cure permanent.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Russian Fears of a Polish Uprising.

News of a Russian Advance Confirmed.

Continued Preparations for War.

The English Cabinet Again in Council.

A LARGE FIRE IN NEW YORK.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

The Porte's Policy.

LONDON, April 14.—In an interview with Earl Granville Fuad Pasha said the Porte was unwilling to enter into an active alliance with either England or Russia. It is reported that Earl Granville protested against the adoption of a neutral policy, implying the closing of the Bosphorus to English men-of-war.

A Hitch.

LONDON, April 14.—London dispatches from Shanghai received here this afternoon, state there is a hitch in the final arrangements for the execution of the definite treaty of peace between France and China, owing to some concession which China asks and which the French ambassador refuses to grant.

Another Council.

LONDON, April 14.—5 p. m.—The Cabinet has been summoned to immediate council, in consequence of the receipt by the Government of further important dispatches in regard to Afghanistan

An Afghan Rumor.

LONDON, April 14.—The Government has received a telegram from the English agent at Meshed stating that it is rumored among the Afghans that the Russians are at Maruchak.

The Standard's Opinion.

LONDON, April 14.—The Standard complains of the delay caused by communication with Sir Peter Lumsden. The Government, it says, ought to depend upon its own accounts of events and to ignore the account of Russian officers, which are sure to contradict the English accounts. While we are collecting evidence Russia is pushing her troops forward. Unhappily there is nothing in the news from Russia to indicate that a collision can be averted.

Evasive Answers Feared.

LONDON, April 14.—Lord Dufferin has informed the Government that the Ameer consents to the passage of British troops through Afghanistan. The Daily News, in an editorial this morning says: "If General Komaroff's report were the only answer Russia would give, there would be little need of the formality of a declaration of war, guns would go off of themselves. We have rather to fear bland, evasive answers."

Increased Vigor.

LONDON, April 14.—Preparations for war continues with increasing vigor. A force of extra workmen have been engaged at Chatham dock yard to-day.

The Money Barometer.

LONDON, April 14, p.m.—Consols opened at 94⅞ for both accounts, declined to 94¼, recovered to 94⅞ and are now 94⅝. Russian securities opened at 82¾ and are now 82½.

1:30 p. m.—Consols now 94⅜ for both accounts. This is ⅜ below the closing figures of last night.

2 p. m.—Consols for both accounts now 94 9-16.

2:30 p. m.—Consols 94¾ for both accounts.

3:30 p. m.—Consols 94⅛ for both accounts.

4 p. m.—Consols 94⅛ for both accounts. This is one-eight below closing last night.

A Russian Advance.

LONDON, April 13.—After the rising of the Cabinet council this afternoon Earl Granville, Foreign Secretary, sent a long dispatch to the British Minister at St. Petersburg. The Government has received official dispatches fully confirming the report of a Russian advance in force.

Prepared for the Fray.

LONDON, April 13.—Sir Peter Lumsden has occupied a strong position at Tirpul. He is believed now to be able to prevent the Russians from attempting a "coup de main" in the direction of Herat.

Not a Sufficient Answer.

LONDON, April 13.—Gen. Komaroff's explanation is regarded as inadequate in official circles. Earl Granville, British Foreign Minister, immediately after adjournment of to-day's Cabinet meeting held an interview with Tehmi Pasha, special Envoy from Turkey, and Count Karaly, Austrian Ambassador.

The Vote of Credit.

LONDON, April 13.—The Marquis of Hartington, Secretary of War, in moving a reply to the Queen's Message summoning the reserves, stated that he was unable at present to speak concerning military measures under consideration by the Government, because events had modified the views of the Indian Government concerning the number of reinforcement required. He hoped to submit to the Commons a vote of credit next Monday, when perhaps more might be said.

Northcote, the Conservative leader of the House of Commons, gave notice that his party would not oppose the vote of credit.

Canadian Dispatches.

Growing More Serious.

OTTAWA, April 13.—The condition of affairs in the Northwest has undergone such material changes within the past ten days that some important changes in the programme by which the campaign was to be conducted are found necessary. In place of finding themselves confronted with some 1500 rebellious half-breeds, who might soon be overcome, the Government is face to face with a general Indian uprising, which will tax to the utmost the energies of the whole available force of the Dominion before it is put down. Every official dispatch points unmistakably to this end.

MRS. CARRIE D. T. SWIFT, Rochester, N. Y., for 25 years suffered from hereditary rheumatism, many times being utterly helpless, especially in warm weather. In July, 1883, she used a few bottles of Warner's SAFE RHEUMATIC Cure, and in January, 1885, said her restoration to health was as complete as miraculous. Cure permanent. Try it.

Foreign Dispatches.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

Hostilities to Cease.

PARIS, April 13.—Orders to cease hostilities were sent to Admiral Courbet and General De Lisle on the 10th inst. French troops, however, are still embarking for Tonquin. A dispatch from Haiphong says General De Lisle, in an order of the day to the French troops, attributes the recent events to the transfer of the command. In consequence of Gen. Negrier's wound he was unprepared to undertake the charge, and expresses surprise that the enemy did not venture to pursue the French.

Wait Till You'r Asked.

PARIS, April 14.—A special dispatch from Berlin to the Journal des Debats, says England and Russia have not sought the good office of Germany as mediator in the Afghan difficulty and Germany has not offered to act in that capacity.

Russia's Home Troubles.

VIENNA, April 14.—The Russian Grand Duke Vladimer has been ordered to Archangle to review the troops and fleet congregated at that port. There is news from Russia and Poland to the effect that the Russian police are searching all chateaus and castles in Podolia and Eukraine for arms. The Russians in Poland are seizing all they find unless possessors hold a special license to own them. This is attributed to fear of a Polish uprising in event of war between England and Russia.

Deserting El Mahdi.

DONGOLA, April 16.—Deserters from El Mahdi's army report that the rebels have evacuated Berti and Metemneh and that the garrison at those two places have gone respectively to Berber and Khartoum. Numbers of the Bisharesns are leaving Osman Digma's country and taking their families to Berber.

Rumor Concerning the Pope.

ROME, April 14.—The periodical rumor of the Pope's intention to leave Rome is again current. The marked favor shown the Ultramontane Cardinal, Oreglia, by the Holy Father is interpreted rather hastily as proof that this time it is worthy of credence. This much is true: Leo XIII. has counselled Cardinal Oreglia to present a proposal to Camerlingo to arrange a meeting of the next conclave outside of Italy, should the Italians attempt a slight interference with its labors. Oreglia's nomination is very disagreeable to Quirinal.

American Dispatches.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

A Russian Offer.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—The Times says John Roach has been offered $10,000 more for his dispatch boat Dolphin than this Government has agreed to pay. The offer comes from the Russian Government and Roach has demanded an immediate answer to his letter requesting final payment by the United States.

Chicago Market Reports.

CHICAGO, April 14.—10 a. m.—The conditions were all of a bullish tendency at the opening on change this morning as the Russian war cloud appeared more ominously threatening. Consols were reported at the lowest point at which they have yet been quoted. In addition the visible supply showed a large decrease and crop reports are no less gloomy. The market in consequence was again very strong.

Fire in New York.

NEW YORK, April 14.—At a fire early this morning in Huiser's piano factory, a number of members of the fire department were at work in the building when the second floor gave way, and all on it were precipitated into the cellar. The men were Samuel Reed, Bryce, Grier and Foreman Colby, Lieut. O'Rourke and firemen Thomas Duffy, Edward McGowan, Hugh McBride and Dowman. The unfortunates were picked out as quickly as possible, but all had sustained bruises and contusions of more or less seriousness. Calls for ambulances were without avail and the men had to be carried to Roosevelt hospital on a truck. McBride is expected to die. With daylight this morning it was easy enough to see the cause of the terrible accident. In 63d street yesterday the buildings fell because there was simply nothing to hold them together. Budd Asick, the builder of the tenements that fell, has constructed block after block in the neighborhood of yesterday's fire. Phillip Hausman, builder, said the houses fell because they were rotten. They were built of refuse. Look at the bricks that were being used, they are not bricks, but halves and quarters and chunks of bricks poorly burnt, the miserable offal of a brick yard. There is no mortar on them at all. The stuff used in laying the brick walls was simply wet dirt.

THE ELECTORS' SOLILOQUY.

To be or not to be—that is the question:
Whether 'tis nobler to vote for a traitor
And be sold like cattle in the stambles,
Or accept the representation of an honest man,
And thereby fox sure? Not to be sold;
No more; to wake up, and find we are bartered
For gold, and the thousand roll-call
By the Smithe Government—'tis not a consummation
Devoutly to be wished. To rest,—to sleep;
To sleep! perchance to dream—ay, there's the rub;
For in that rest of peace we may be robbed,
If we place a Duck on the nest.
For who would bear the whips and grinding of taxes
The tax-coats wrong, the recreants customely,
The lashings of disappointment, the man who sold himself,
For the spoils of office, and a place in the Cabinet,
When, by being true to his constituents
And honest to his professions made a name
In the memory, satisfied, pure, devoted.
The dread of being sold again, makes us
Not cowards, but compels us positively, to "shoo" the Ducks
To regions hot, and vote for Williams.

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is your own fault if you remain ill. If you are wasting away with any form of kidney disease, stop tempting death this moment, and turn for a—cure to Hop Bitters.

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The Daily Times.

Victoria, Tuesday, April 14, 1885

CURIOUS PHENOMENA.

Unusual Form of Optical Illusions—Change in Faces of the Dying.

[Cor. New York Sun.]

"Many people are deceived by optical illusions. On a recent morning I looked into my brother's room, and saw him standing at his dressing-case. Then I remembered that I had heard him go down stairs, and I said to myself, 'this is an optical illusion.' Knowing that it was such, I looked at the figure until it slowly faded away. Let me add that I am in good bodily health, cheerful, and, I believe, sound in mind. A friend, who died lately, said in her last hours, when apparently she was rational, that she saw her dead parents and brother in her room. She exclaimed, addressing the friends who stood at her bedside: 'There they are, right there. Can't you see them?' I repeat that, as far as any one could judge, she was thoroughly conscious. But we will pass over her case, for it is not exceptional, and while we can not say she was delirious, neither can we affirm positively that she had her senses.

"But here, I think, is an unusual form of optical illusion, if it was an illusion at all. A few days ago a well-known business man of New York passed away. His widow is a clear-minded and educated lady, without any morbid or superstitious taint in her nature, or any belief in spiritualism. While bending over her husband shortly before his death she observed that the expression of his face was changing, and the next moment she saw there, instead, the face of her dead brother. The two men were entirely unlike in appearance, one being light and having a blonde beard, and the other very dark. Shortly afterwards the lady saw on her husband's face the expression of another deceased friend, and a little later that of a third. Her morbid and overwrought fancy deceived her, some one says. Could two persons be deceived at the same time and in the same way? I ask this because three years ago this lady and her sister watched beside the dying child of the latter. The little child's face suddenly changed. One of the ladies saw that the other observed this, and said:

"'Emily, who was it?'

"'Adelaide,' was the answer.

"'Yes, Adelaide.'

"The two ladies have told me that they saw unmistakably the face of their dead cousin, a woman, shining out through the face of this dying child. I offer no explanation of these phenomena, and present them only because to me they seem very interesting."

'O! Suffering Woman.'

C. F. B. HASKELL, (formerly of Vernon, Vt.,) now locating engineer, on the B. C. R. and R. Railroad, Dakota, stated in 1883, that his wife was utterly prostrated with female difficulties and did not seem to be amenable to physicians' remedies. She could not sleep, trembled like a leaf, periodically lost her reason. They then began the use of Warner's SAFE Cure. Writing in July, 1884, from Dakota, Mr. Haskell says, "My wife has never seen the slightest inclination of a return of the difficulties Warner's SAFE Cure removed." Try it, O, suffering woman!

The Dentists of America.

[Inter Ocean.]

The United States has 17,000 dentists, who use a ton of gold and five tons of other metals, and make 4,000,000 artificial teeth annually. Only one American in eighty is found to have perfect teeth, and one-third of the population make more or less use of the artificial product.

Permanent Security.

T. O. LEWIS, San Francisco, Cal., Oct 28, 1881, says, "I have suffered for ten years with congested kidneys, and have passed stones ranging in size from the head of a pin to a pea, which caused strangury of the neck of the bladder. The best physicians in this city said I could not recover. I used four bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, and got rid of four calculi." Writing June 23d, 1884, he says, "The cure effected in 1881 was permanent."

Shipping Barbed Wire.

[Chicago Herald.]

Large quantities of barbed wire for fencing purposes are now being shipped from this country to Brazil and to Central America. A short time ago a vessel sailed for Honduras with barbed wire as one-third of her entire cargo.

A Campaigner's Experience.

LAWRENCE MIX, Esq., Warsaw, N. Y., a well known camping orator, in 1882 took 15 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure for kidney trouble, (after many physicians of excellent standing had given him up), and was cured. Dec. 9th, 1884, he says, "I have no serious return of my trouble, and so conclude that MY CURE IS PERMANENT."

Egotism Again.

[New York Graphic.]

They were having a heated argument. He said:

"Stop your quarreling. People will think we are crazy."

"No they won't, dear," she replied. "They will think one of us is crazy."

"Ah!" he responded, "there's your egotism again."

"Seven."

DAVID TOOKE, Esq., Columbus, Texas, in 1879, was attacked with black jaundice, followed by hemorrhage of the kidneys, and was pronounced incurable. Seven bottles of Warner's SAFE CURE restored him to health in 1880, and July 1st, 1884, he writes, "My health has been excellent ever since." Try it; Try it.

Sure Test for Watered Milk.

[Chicago Herald.]

The surest test for watered milk is said to consist in dipping a well-polished knitting needle into a deep vessel of milk, and then immediately withdrawing it in an upright position. If the milk is pure a drop of the fluid will hang to the needle, but the addition of even a small portion of water will prevent the adherence of the drop.

Haven't you felt Just so.

ISAAC N. WOOD, Fishhill, N. Y., July, 1884, wrote, "It is two years ago last spring since Warner's SAFE Cure cured me. I was called a dead man, but that medicine brought me life. I take a few bottles every spring to keep me right." He was afflicted for six years with pains in the back ending in kidney hemorrhage. Cure permanent.

English-Speaking People.

[Exchange.]

When Milton and Shakespeare wrote only 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 people spoke the English language. The number has now increased to 100,000,000, over one half of whom live in the United States.

A Notable Arrest.

C. H. OBERBECK, Deputy Sheriff, St. Louis, Mo., in 1882 took Warner's Safe Cure for a very severe kidney and liver complaint; he had lost 75 pounds in weight under the doctor's care. Five bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure arrested and cured the disease, and December, 1884, he wrote, "I now weigh 260 pounds and never felt better in my life. I recommend Warner's SAFE Cure."

20,690,506

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Boston, - - 936,842.

HON. N. A. PLYMPTON (Hon. B. F. Butler's campaign manager), of Worcester, Mass., in May, 1880, was **prostrated** by kidney colic, caused by the passage of gravel from the kidneys to the bladder. He then began using Warner's SAFE Cure and in a short time passed a large stone and a number of smaller ones. Dec. 10th, 1884, Mr. Plympton wrote, "I have had **no recurrence of my old trouble since Warner's SAFE Cure cured me.**"

Providence, - - 128,947.

G. W. FULTON, Esq., Fulton, Texas, **suffered for ten years from serious bladder** disorders and lost from 25 to 30 pounds; in 1881 he used 14 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, and recovered his natural weight and said, "**I consider myself well** for a man of 75." December 20th, 1884, he wrote, "I have had no symptoms of kidney disorder since 1881, and if I did I should **rely upon** SAFE Cure."

Portland, Me., - 330,829.

Bal. of N. Eng., - 331,315.

EX-GOV. R. T. JACOB, Westport, Ky. In 1882, during a political canvass, health gave way and was prostrated with severe kidney trouble. **Lost 40 pounds of flesh.** Used Warner's SAFE Cure in 1882, and June 23, 1884, writes; "**I have never enjoyed better health,**—allowing to Warner's SAFE Cure."

New York State, - 3,053,080.

E. F. LARRABEE, Esq., 49 Chester Square, Boston, Mass., in 1879, was given up by several prominent **Boston Physicians as incurable** from Bright's Disease. He took over 200 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, in 1880-2, and Oct. 5, 1884, wrote that the "**cure was as permanent as surprising.**"

Pennsylvania, - 1,365,914.

MRS. J. B. DESMOULIN, 2411 Morgan street, St. Louis, Mo., in 1882, wrote, "**I have been in delicate health for many years;** but Warner's SAFE Cure made me **the picture of health.**" June 23rd, 1884, she wrote, "**My health has been good for the last two years.**"

Chicago, - - 2,181,520.

CHAS. E. STEPHENS, of Louisville, Ky., Nov. 15, 1882, wrote, "When my daughter was ten years of age she was seriously attacked by extreme kidney disorder. She recovered temporarily, but a year ago was again prostrated. She was swollen to **twice her natural size,** had **frequent headaches,** nausea, and other disguised symptoms of the disorder. All her Louisville **physicians agreed that she could not recover.** Her case and treatment were telegraphed to a **New York specialist, who said recovery was impossible.** Last August we began to treat her ourselves, and now, wholly through the influence of Warner's SAFE Cure, she is apparently as well as ever." November 1884, he says, "**My daughter is apparently in perfect health.**"

Detroit, - - 635,210.

S. F. HESS, Rochester, N. Y., the well known tobacco manufacturer, three years ago took twenty-five bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure for **liver disorder,** and August 20th, 1884, he reported, "I consider myself **fully cured,** and the credit is **wholly due** to Warner's SAFE Cure."

Milwaukee, - - 344,171.

THE REV. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, (P. E.), Grand Island, Neb., in 1881 was **pronounced fatally sick** with Bright's Disease. His condition he says was desperate and he could get **no relief from physicians.** He then followed Warner's SAFE Cure treatment, and July 7, 1884, he wrote, "**All local trouble has disappeared.** Have taken no medicine for nearly a year."

Minnesota, - - 486,013.

G. W. HAMILTON, Milton, Santa Rosa Co., Florida, December 15th, 1884, wrote that "four years ago **my wife was** suffering with liver complaint which reduced her **to a skeleton.** The doctors finally pronounced her case Bright's Disease of the kidneys, and **incurable.** She then took 13 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, and has been in perfect health ever since. She now weighs **180 pounds** where formerly she was a skeleton. Warner's SAFE Cure will make a **permanent cure always** if taken by directions."

Bal. N. W States, 1,400,362.

Cleveland, - - 511,974.

B. J. WORRELL, of Ellaville, Fla, in 1879, was prostrated with Bright's Disease of the kidneys, and under the best treatment, grew worse. "On the advice of **Governor Drew's sister,** I began Warner's SAFE Cure, sixty bottles of which restored me to full measure of health. I have now been **cured about four years,** and my case is regarded **as miraculous.**" Governor Drew of Jacksonville, Florida, April 20th, 1884, says "Mr. Worrell's case and cure give me great confidence in Warner's SAFE Cure, and I **unhesitatingly indorse it.**"

Cincinnati, - - 655,250.

MRS. S. A. CLARK, East Granby, Conn., in 1881 was **utterly used up** with constitutional and female complaints of the worst kind. **Been sick ten years,** and tried everything. In November, 1884, she wrote, "Warner's SAFE Cure **cured me four years ago,** and has kept me well."

Bal. Ohio, (State,) - 474,869.

Southern States, - 2,725,513.

JOSEPH JACQUES, Esq., St. Albans, Vt., in January 1877 was taken desperately sick with Bright's Disease of the kidneys. He spit blood, was tremendously bloated and seemed to be **beyond the power of the best physicians.** He then took 50 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, which restored him to health. January 14, 1885, eight years afterwards, he wrote: "**I never enjoyed better health** in my life than I do now, and I owe it all to Warner's SAFE Cure. I consider myself cured of Bright's Disease."

Canada, - - 1,175,368.

ROBERT GRAHAM, 77 Penn street, Brooklyn, N. Y., suffered for six years from **inflammation of the bladder and stricture. Six physicians, specialists, gave him up to die.** In 1883, he began Warner's SAFE Cure and its continued use, he says, effected a **complete cure.** Under date June 25, 1884, he says, "My health continues good; have used no medicine since April 30, 1883."

St. Louis, - - 1,222,895.

REV. JAMES ERWIN, Methodist minister, West Eaton, N. Y., was long and seriously ill with **inflammation of the prostate gland,** (a very obstinate disorder). In 1882, he began the use of Warner's SAFE Cure, and June 25th, 1884, wrote, "The relief obtained two years ago **proved permanent; physicians express great surprise.**"

Kansas City, - - 538,395.

JAMES M. DAVIS, 330 South Pearl street, Albany, N. Y., superintendent of Jaggar Iron Co., in 1881 **suffered from very serious kidney trouble;** he weighed but 160 pounds; he used 18 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, and December 8th, 1884, he wrote, "**That was fully three years ago. I have had no trouble since,** and I feel first class and weigh 198 pounds. I **would not go back to that time of four years ago for all the dollars in the United States.**"

Bal. S.W. States, - 635,092.

N. B. SMILEY, Esq., of Bradford, Pa., in 1882, was very seriously sick of extreme kidney disorder and **rheumatism,** which gradually grew worse. **Physicians being unable to assist him** his last resort was Warner's SAFE Cure, and in June 29th, 1884, he wrote, "My health is better than for two years past, and in some respects is better than it has been for **five years.** When I catch cold and have any slight kidney trouble, I resume the medicine again and the relief I believe is **permanent.**"

San Francisco, - 932,210.

S. A. JOHNSTON, Lockington, Ohio, Sept. 20, 1881, stated that for thirty years he had suffered tortures with Dyspepsia, but he was entirely cured by the use of Warner's SAFE Cure. Dec. 8th, 1884, he says: "I took 20 or 25 bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure, and it has never failed to stop any symptoms of my old complaint if they appeared; **my health is good.**"

Bal. Pacific Coast, - 624,237.

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By order of the Mayor and Council.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, 8th April, 1885.

Municipal.

$20 REWARD

Will be paid for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of parties who are in the habit of cutting or otherwise defacing the seats on the grounds at Beacon Hill.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, 15th April, 1885. ap10

Municipal.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's Office up to

WEDNESDAY, THE 15th INSTANT,

AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

For Grading &c., Kings Road from Scanich Road to Fourth street.

Plan and specification of the work can be seen daily at the City Clerk's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, 13th April, 1885. C. M. C.

NO. 115.—A BY-LAW.

WHEREAS, IT IS EXPEDIENT TO amend the Officers Remuneration By-Law, 1884,

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. That so much of schedule A of the said By-law as relates to the remuneration of the Park keeper, shall be, and the same is, hereby amended so as to read: "Park keeper at the rate of $35 per month."

2. This by-law may be cited as the Officers Remuneration By-law 1884, Amendment By-law 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 1st day of April, 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 8th day of April, A. D., 1885.

(L. S.)
R. P. RITHET,
Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C. ap9

NOTICE

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works for permission to purchase 1600 acres of land, more or less, situated on the southeast side of a lake named Gordon Pasha, said lake being about five miles north from the sea coast, and about six miles west of Scotch Fir Point on Malaspina Strait, northwest coast of British Columbia, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake on the southeast side of lake, about a mile from its outlet and running east 120 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence westward to shore of lake; thence southward following shore of lake and river to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND,
MORRIS MOSS,
A. VANCYCKLEN.

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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on the south side of Gordon Pasha Lake, Malaspina Strait, northwest coast British Columbia. Commencing at a stake about a mile from head of lake, and running south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north to lake; thence south along shore of said lake to place of commencement.

GEORGE FAIRBROTHER.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase about 600 acres of Land situated on the East Coast of Vancouver Island and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about a mile south of the mouth of Campbell river and 40 chains from the seashore on the southern boundary line of the Campbell river Indian reserve; thence running south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 40